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## BEFORE THE JUDICIAL QUALIFICATIONS COMMISSION STATE OF FLORIDA

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INQUIRY CONCERNING A JUDGE MATTHEW E. McMILLAN, CASE NO.: 99-10 AND and No. 00-17

SC CASE NO.: 95,886

00-703

## MOTION FOR LEAVE TO PERMIT WITNESS TO PARTICIPATE IN HEARING BY TELEPHONE

**COMES NOW**, Honorable Matthew E. McMillan, by and through his undersigned attorney and hereby files this Motion for Leave to Permit Witnesses to Participate in Hearing by Telephone and states:

- 1. Ms. Jean Thomas is desirous of testifying before the Court in regards to the hearing that is scheduled to begin on October 30, 2000.
- 2. Jean Thomas is a resident of the State of New Jersey. The only reasonable way that Jean Thomas can participate in these proceedings is via telephone.

WHEREFORE, Honorable Matthew E. McMillan prays that the relief herein sought is granted and that the JQC Hearing Panel permits Jean Thomas to appear by telephone.

## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing has been furnished via facsimile and U.S. Mail to Marvin E. Barkin, Esq., 101 E. Kennedy Blvd., Suite 2700, Tampa, FL 33602, John Beranek, Esq., 227 S. Calhoun St., Tallahassee, FL 32301, Thomas C. McDonald, Jr., 100 N. Tampa Street, Suite 2100, Tampa, FL 33602, Scott Tozian, Esq. 109 N. Brush St., #150, Tampa, FL 33602 and to Brooke Kennerly, Florida Judicial Qualifications Commission, Room 102, The Historic Capitol, Tallahassee, FL 32399, this day of October, 2000.

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